

# **THE PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE CHECKLIST**

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1. Brazil

a. Goulart and family are in Uruguay, according to official statements from Montevideo. So is Brizola.

b. President Mazzilli has named Vasco Leita da Cunha as foreign minister and Octavio Gouveia de Bulhoes to the finance post. Both are regarded as pro-US.

c. The roundup of Communists and leftists continues; all known leftists are being removed from command positions in the armed forces.

d. Even so, revolutionary leaders are becoming more critical of the way Mazzilli is handling things. Governor Pinto of Minas Gerais and General Kruehl have added their voices to that of Governor De Barros (Sao Paulo) against some of Mazzilli's appointments.

e. They seem to fear political power will drift back to the pre-revolt coalition of Mazzilli's Social Democratic Party and Goulart's Labor Party.

f. Mazzilli, meanwhile, has expropriated, in the name of land reform, Goulart's own land which is some of the most extensive privately-held acreage in Brazil.

## 2. Israel-France

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## 3. Cyprus

a. Makarios and Kuchuk are agreed on only one thing: that the UN mediator will fail.

b. There is no disposition to compromise and neither side has given Tuomioja any proposals to work with.

c. Makarios is talking of abrogating the Treaty of Alliance. He is putting out press releases saying he will do so this weekend because the Turkish contingent has refused his order to return to camp.

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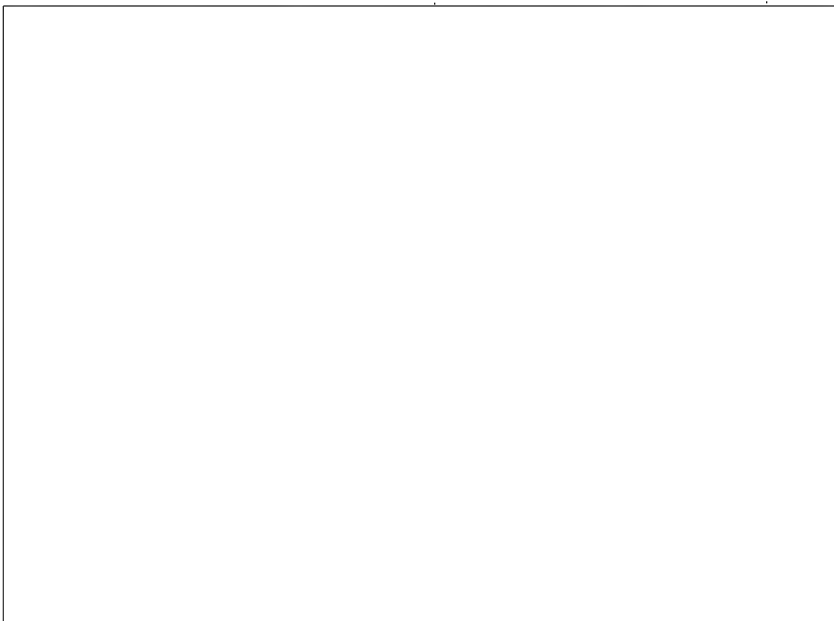
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Makarios' objective clearly is to establish control with the Greek Cypriot security force as quickly as possible.

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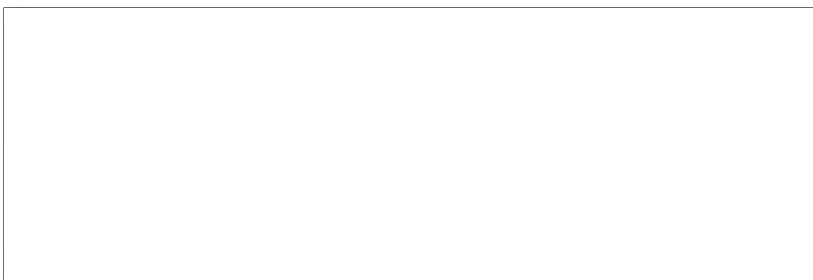
e. He reasons that when this has been accomplished, the UN force will "no longer be required," and it will then become clear the UN force is there merely to enforce mediation.

4. Malta



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5. Yemen-USSR



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NOTES

- A. Bolivia President Paz' running mate in next month's elections, General Barrientos, is threatening to resign his candidacy in protest over Federico Fortun's maneuvering to regain the vice-presidential nomination. Paz had to drop Fortun in favor of Barrientos in order to keep the armed forces in line. If the general should now quit, there will be trouble from his sizeable popular following.
  
- B. Panama No violence has been reported as yet in connection with the leftist demonstrations planned for this weekend. The National Guard still expects trouble, however, and is girding for it.